



## Application for Turkey Run Ridge Group Campground

Thank you for choosing Prince William Forest Park for your group camping experience. In 1936, Prince William Forest Park lands opened for the public to enjoy group overnight camping. We are pleased to welcome your group to join this legacy. To ensure a safe visit here at Prince William Forest Park, please read and complete the application thoroughly. Your application will not be processed if signatures are left incomplete or if either page is missing from your application package.

### The Application Process:

Applications are processed in the order they are received. Please ensure your application reaches Prince William Forest Park at least two weeks prior to your arrival date. If we can accommodate your request, a camping permit will be mailed to you. One night's deposit of \$40.00 for each reserved site must be included with your application or your application will not be processed. All remaining fees must be paid upon arrival to the park. No refunds will be given for cancellations with exception to the National Park Service closing the site or access to the site. A one-time rescheduling of your reservation is allowed within the calendar year.

### The Campsites:

All Turkey Run Ridge Group campsites are \$40.00 per night. **This does not include the park's \$5.00 per vehicle entrance fee.** Sites A, B & D hold a maximum of 25 campers. Sites C, E & F hold 40 campers. All campers must set up their tents within their assigned campsite(s). Each campsite has tables, grills and lantern posts. Campground restroom facilities feature sinks and flush toilets but no showers.

### Check-in/Check-out:

Check-in is no earlier than 12:30 pm. Check-out is no later than 12:00 pm. For the benefit of all, the campsites must be kept clean and orderly from the time of arrival to departure. Upon departure, all garbage must be placed in the dumpsters located in the Turkey Run Ridge Group Campground parking lot.

### Ranger-led Programs:

Please feel free to attend one of the park's regularly scheduled programs as noted at the visitor center or on the campground bulletin board. Your group may also inquire about scheduling a special program (i.e. – orienteering, leave no trace, beavers etc...) with a park ranger by contacting the visitor center at 703-221-7181 or by visiting our website at [www.nps.gov/prwi](http://www.nps.gov/prwi).

### Leader Responsibility:

The group leader is responsible for ensuring the group's compliance to the rules and regulations of the National Park Service. Violation of National Park Service regulations is a violation of Federal Law and may result in eviction from the park, fines or mandatory appearances in Federal Court. For a complete listing of campground rules, please contact the park at 703-221-7181.

### Amphitheatre Use:

An amphitheatre, with bench seating and fire pit may be available at no extra cost. It must be reserved for a specific date on page 2 of this application. You may also inquire as to its availability upon your arrival at the visitor center. A group leader must have a bucket filled with water at the amphitheatre for safety. Fires must be contained within the stone pit. Bonfires or enlarging the stone pit is prohibited. Amphitheater activities must be completed by 10 PM.

### Campfires and Firewood:

Each campsite has a designated grill for having a campfire. No fires can be left unattended at any time. Extinguish all fires before retiring or leaving the area. Wood within the park will not be cut, collected or removed for any reason, unless under an approved Special Use Permit. Wood less than 6 inches in diameter may be collected from the ground *only within the Turkey Run Ridge Group Campground area.*

### Emergencies and Safety:

If an emergency occurs during your stay, contact the nearest park ranger on duty or call the National Park Service Emergency Dispatch Center at 1-866-677-6677 or 9-1-1 using the payphone located in the Turkey Run Ridge Parking lot. Both of these numbers are posted on the payphone.

**I hereby state that I have read and understand the above rules and regulations for camping within Prince William Forest Park**

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Applicant Signature

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Date

# Prince William Forest Park

National Park Service  
U.S. Department of the Interior

Prince William Forest Park  
Triangle, VA



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Your permit will not include the park's \$5.00 per vehicle entrance fee (good for 7 consecutive days) paid upon arrival.

### Group Information:

Today's Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Group Leader: \_\_\_\_\_ Group Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsor: \_\_\_\_\_ # of Campers: \_\_\_\_\_ (estimate high if unsure)

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street No/PO Box \_\_\_\_\_  
City, State Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

### Reservation Information: We will try to accommodate your first choice if possible. Please provide a 2<sup>nd</sup> choice.

1<sup>st</sup> Choice: \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_  
Arrival Date (mm/dd/yyyy) Departure Date (mm/dd/yyyy)

2<sup>nd</sup> Choice: \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_  
Arrival Date (mm/dd/yyyy) Departure Date (mm/dd/yyyy)

3<sup>rd</sup> Choice: \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_  
Arrival Date (mm/dd/yyyy) Departure Date (mm/dd/yyyy)

Amphitheater:

1<sup>st</sup> Choice: \_\_\_\_\_ 2nd Choice: \_\_\_\_\_  
Requested Date (mm/dd/yyyy) Requested Date (mm/dd/yyyy)

**Method of Payment:** If paying by credit card, please fax application to 703-221-3258 or mail in secure envelope. Please note that if you are paying by credit card you will be charged the full amount for your reservation.

☐ Check enclosed ☐ Master Card/Visa ☐ American Ex. ☐ Discover ☐ Novus

\_\_\_\_\_  
Credit Card Number

\_\_\_\_\_  
Exp. Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Authorizing Signature

**Please Note:** Pages 1 and 2 of your application must be received by Prince William Forest Park to ensure processing.

Prince William Forest Park  
Attn: TRR Group Campground  
18100 Park Headquarters Road  
Triangle, VA 22172  
Phone: 703-221-7181  
Fax: 703-221-3258

Checks payable to **National Park Service**

### For Official Use Only

Assigned Site(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Employee Received Request: \_\_\_\_\_

Amph Date #:

Remaining Fee Due Upon Arrival